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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Kouhei SUZUKI : Confirmation Number: 5534

Serial No.: 10/036,373 : Group Art Unit: 2858

Filed: January 07, 2002 : Examiner: Timothy J. Dole

For: GROUND DETECTION APPARATUS FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLE

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following Amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated May 21, 2003.

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Mail Stop Amendment and Extension of Time - Fee Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

For:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached: Drawing Amendment

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	8	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	3	0	\$86.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple claims newly presented			\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$950.00
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		Total of Above Calculations			\$950.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>500417</u> in the amount of \$950.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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